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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Ser. No.: 10/650,629	Filed: August 28, 2003	Examiner: Kerns
Art Unit: 1725	Title: <b>SIDE DOOR ASSEMBLY</b>	

To the Commissioner for Patents:

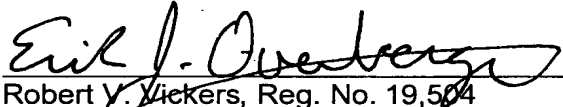
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Total Claims	21	Minus	21	0	X \$50
Indep. Claims	4	Minus	4	0	X \$200
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☐ Applicants request any extensions of time that may be necessary and authorize the required fees be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.  
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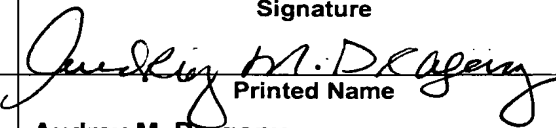
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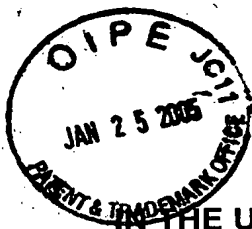
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PATENT

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TITLE : **SIDE DOOR ASSEMBLY**  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed December 6, 2004, on the above-referenced patent application, Applicant(s) respectfully request reconsideration of the application.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.